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April 5, 1993

Re: Standard Chlorine of Delaware  
Stipulated Penalty Assessment

Dear Ms. Hiller:

This letter is a response to your letter dated March 12, 1993 concerning potential violation of the Consent Order between the State of Delaware and Standard Chlorine of Delaware, Inc.

According to the RI/FS schedule, Standard Chlorine was to submit a draft FS to DNREC on February 12, 1993. One copy of the draft FS was hand delivered to DNREC on February 17, 1993. EPA received one copy of the document on February 17, 1993, and a few additional copies were received via Federal Express on February 19, 1993. These additional copies were distributed to the appropriate technical staff on February 19, 1993.

Originally EPA had agreed to get comments on the draft FS to DNREC by March 8, 1993, but Standard Chlorine's one week delay, resulted in delays for EPA. In turn, EPA forwarded comments on the draft FS to DNREC on March 17 and 18, 1993.

EPA is in agreement with DNREC's decision not to pursue the potential violation of the above referenced Consent Order for this particular action. It may be appropriate to notify Standard Chlorine that failure to comply with the Consent Order in the future may result in the issuance of stipulated penalties.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at (215) 597-0910.

Sincerely,

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